

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : James W. West, Cameron S. Brandt, Stephen R. Jaspers  
Serial No. : 10/684,149  
Group Art Unit : 1644  
Examiner : Schwadron, R. B.  
Filed : October 10, 2003  
For : PRODUCTION OF HOMOTRIMERIC FUSION PROTEINS  
Date Submitted : September 21, 2007

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.136(a))**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated March 28, 2007 be extended for a period of three months from June 28, 2007 to September 28, 2007.

The following fee will be paid on-line via the USPTO EFS:

Extension for Response within first month	<input type="checkbox"/> 120	<input type="checkbox"/> 60
Extension for Response within second month	<input type="checkbox"/> 450	<input type="checkbox"/> 225
Extension for Response within third month	<input type="checkbox"/> 1,020	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 510
Extension for Response within fourth month	<input type="checkbox"/> 1,590	<input type="checkbox"/> 795
Extension for Response within fifth month	<input type="checkbox"/> 2,160	<input type="checkbox"/> 1,080

Respectfully submitted,

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